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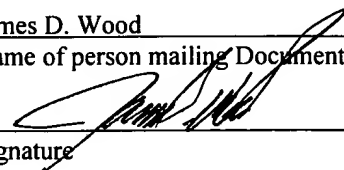
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| Re: | Application of: | Kunal N. Taravade   |
|     | Serial No.:     | 09/909,175  |
|     | Filed:          | July 19, 2001   |
|     | For:            | Arrangement and Method for Controlling<br>the Transmission of a Light Signal Based on<br>Intensity of a Received Light Signal |
|     | Group Art Unit: | 2874  |
|     | Examiner:       | Kevin S. Wood   |
|     | Our Docket No.: | 01-199 (1003-0603)  |

**TRANSMITTAL OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**  
**(37 C.F.R. § 1.114)**

Please find for filing in connection with the above patent application the  
following:

- 1 Request for Continued Examination;
2. Amendment;
3. Petition for Extension of Time; and
4. One (1) return post card.

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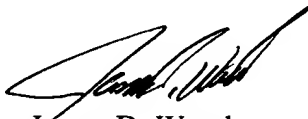
| CLAIMS AS AMENDED             |   |                         |                    |              |
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|                               | Claims Remaining<br>After RCE Amendment | Highest No.<br>Paid For | Fee<br>Calculation | Addit<br>Fee |
| Basic Filing Fee for RCE      |   |                         |                    | \$ 790.00    |
| Total Claims                  | 21                                      | 21                      | 0 X 50             | \$ 0.00      |
| Independent Claims            | 4                                       | 4                       | 0 X 200            | \$ 0.00      |
| Total Additional Fee Required |   |                         |                    | \$ 790.00    |

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